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CHICAGO, March 28 .- Over \$16,000,000 in

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gold, silver and currency were removed from the office of the subtreasury in the old government building to-day to the temporary offices in the Rand-McNally building. There were sixteen and one-half tons of gold, nine tons of allver, five tons of coppers, nickels and dimes and \$3,500,000 in currency. The American Express Company did the cartage work and was responsible for its safe conveyance. A large squad of policemen and detectives, armed with Winchesters, stood

detectives, armed with Winchesters, stood guard while the treasure was being carted through the streets to its temporary resting place. The express company had twenty-five and the government thirty-five men at work all day on the removal, which was completed this evening. Assistant United States Treasurer D. F. Phelps, for the government, and J. W. Hilton, for the express company, had charge of the work. Cyclone in Illinois. ALTON, Ill., March 28.-A cyclone passed Mail \$2 a Year and telegraph poles were blown down, but

STILL A MYSTERY.

Body of the Man Found in a Trunk at

CHICAGO, March 28,-The mystery of the body found in the box by Carl Haas and Philip Griess at the auction sale, Thursday afternoon, yet remains unsolved. Three cases way of determining the identity of the body. The cases are: Oliver Pike, disappeared at Seattle, Wash., three years ago; an Englishman employed on a ranch near Salt Lake City, three years ago; Joanes Prosper Chaseal, disappeared at Salt Lake City three years ago. It seems unlikely, the police say, that the body at the morgue is that of Chaseal. The Frenchman is described as being five feet eleven inches in height, while the body is only five feet six inches. The teeth of the Frenchman were filled with a composition of steel, while the teeth of the cadayer are sound and without fillings. If the friends of either the unknown Englishman or Oliver Pike succeed in identifying the body at the morgue by a scrap of hair, a set of teeth and a truss, they will accomplish wonders. For these are the only things they have to go by. The rest of the body is past identification.

Mrs. Theodore Mosher to-day told Deputy Coroner McNally the story of Oliver Pike's arance. She said he was at Seattle at the time. His mother is Mrs. Wash., at the time. His mother is Mrs.. William Hawes, and lives at Fayette, Fulton county, Ohio. Mrs. Mosher is a close friend of the family and had known young Pike for a number of years. She said also the description of the body as regards size, weight, hair, teeth and age were those of Pike. He had beeen injured early in life and wore a truss. He always had plenty of money, she said. The inquest at the morgue this afternoon resulted in nothing. After considerable testimony had been heard it was adjourned to Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

COMPRESSED AIR MOTOR.

Seemingly Successful Test of a New York Man's Invention.

ROME, N. Y., March 28 .- A party of New York capitalists came to Rome to-day to witness a test of a compressed air motor, invented by Robert Hardie. It is claimed for it that twenty-five miles an hour car be made. With a heavy load of freight attached the motor was stopped while run down hill, showing complete control in one and a half inches, and that at all times it is under complete control. The New York men seemed well pleased with

Nine Fishermen Rescued. PETOSKEY, Mich., March 28.-Nine mer fishing through the ice in the middle Little Traverse bay, ten miles from Petokey, were caried out into Lake Michiga by the ice this afternoon. A boat and rescue crew were sent from here by special train to Bay shore and all were rescue just as the ice began breaking into small cakes under them.

TEMPERATURE RISING DAILY IN HEAT OF POLITICAL DEBATE.

Majority in Henry County Primary Next Wednesday.

EFFECT ON THE INHABITANTS

HUSBANDS AND WIVES AT OUTS AND GROCERS BOYCOTTED.

The Rival Congressmen, Surrounded by Their Friends, Will Take New Castle Tuesday Night.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. NEW CASTLE, Ind., March 28.-To-day has been an eventful one in the political history of Henry county, and never was interest more wrought up, even on the eve of a presidential election, than it is at the present time. Very early in the day the streets preof circus day, but a closer observer would have detected sterner faces and more evihicles was almost an impossibility on the principal streets. All day the crowd surged back and forth, and only dispersed when a demonstration was made when a man mounted a dry goods box on one corner of the public square and cried, "Hurrah for Johnson!" For a few minutes the air was filled with shouts from pent-up throats. Then, upo: the opposite corner, a Watson man proposed a cheer for his champion, and the crowd went that way. And so it continued all day. The Johnson men claim the day was a great victory for them, and the Watson men are also jubilant over their prospects of success. Towards evening several fights occurred, but the persons engaged in them were partially under the influence of liquor. The day will long be remembered as one of the most exciting New Castle has ever experienced. Mr. Watson spoke in the Methodist Church at Cadiz last night. The house was crowded

and much enthusiasm prevailed. He spent the day in the country, and in Spiceland addressed a large meeting this afternoon. From Spiceland he was driven to Kennard, where he spoke to-night. He will most likely spend Sunday here in New Castle. He is feeling remarkably well and in good spirits. Mr. Johnson is also gaining in health, and endures the hardships of a country campaign much better than he did in the beginning of the week. He was at New Lisbon yesterday made by the citizens of that place. He then went to Millville, where in the evening he addressed a crowded house. He came through here on the morning train to Sulphur Springs, where he was greeted by a delegation of citizens, headed by the Sulphur Springs Band. He spoke here until the arrival of the fast train on the Panhandle. It does not usually stop at Sulphur Springs nor Middletown, but arrangements had been made to have it stop to-day. At Middletown he addressed the citzens and Trondale workers to-night. He will spend Sunday in Middictown. The situation to-night is as undecisive as ever, and no man can say with any cisive as ever, and no man can say with any degree of assurance who will win next Wednesday. One day it looks as though Watson had the county, and the next Johnson seems strong. To show the undecisive condition of affairs, the following statements made for publication are appended. They represent the opinions of a Johnson and a Watson man, from each township:

Henry-Watson will carry the township by a good majority, Frank E. Beach; Johnson, by a safe majority, A. C. Hodson.

Blue River Township-Johnson will get 120, Watson 30, B. F. Koons; Watson is gaining ground, W. H. Jones.

Liberty-Johnson's prospects good, J. A.

Liberty—Johnson's prospects good, J. A. Stafford, M. D.; Watson will carry the township by 40 majority, I. N. Millikan.

Prairie—Johnson will have 35 or 40 majority, Frank Shively; will give Watson a majority, Frank Covait.

Harrison—We'tson will get a good vote in Harrison, A. L. Alshouse; I believe Johnson will get three to one in Harrison, C. M. Cooper.

Cooper.

Stony Creek—Johnson will carry by a good majority, J. R. Leakey; very close, have hopes of Watson, T. T. Houser.

Dudley—Close, will say 20 majority for Johnson, Frank Nation; close, have hopes of Watson, Anderson Cook.

Close and Leaning to Watson.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. SPICELAND, Ind., March 28.-Hon. James E. Watson spoke here this afternoon in Hoover's Hall. This hall has a seating capacity of about 500, and every seat and all the standing room was taken, and many remained outside listening to his speech. of men who have disappeared in the West, in or near Salt Lake City, have been reported of Republican principles. He was often enthusiastically cheered as he made an elothusiastically cheered as he made an e quent point. He spoke of his opponent in the highest terms, and even those who are for his opponent concede his great ability and eloquence. His speech made him votes. The Hon. Henry U. Johnson will speak here Monday afternoon. This township is pretty close between the two men, with the chances largely favorable to Watson.

STORIES OF THE CAMPAIGN. Excited State of Affairs Just Now in Henry County.

Staff Correspondence of the Journal. NEW CASTLE, Ind., March 28 .- The can vass of James E. Watson and Henry U. Johnson in the Sixth district for further congressional honors has developed into one He Denies the Charge that He Is Takof the most remarkable political contests ever known in Indiana. The primaries to be held next Wednesday will decide the race, but it is hard to tell to what unusual extremes the following of each will resort before that day arrives. For the last fort- ing a hand in the congressional contest in night nothing else has been talked of in Henry county, as chairman of the State New Castle. The names of "Watson" and "Johnson" have become as familiar to the housewife as that of a favorite brand of baking powder. On the streets, in the interest of Watson, by my request and solicistores, about the hotel and around the fam- tation: I desire to say that the report ily hearthstone the Johnson-Watson contest | is false, and would refer you to a statement is the one absorbing topic. Lads and las- in the Knightstown Sun, written by Mr. sies on their way to school loiter on the corners and repeat the stories and sayings of their parents concerning these two can- personal reasons, if I was not officially condidates. So intense has become the interest and so bitter the rivalry between the factions that it has even caused dissension in families. One instance is recalled which is said to have occurred a few days ago. An ardent Watson man picked up last week's edition of the Courier and read a long editorial eulogizing Congressman Johnson. The Watson man is a stanch Republican and has been a life-long subscriber of the Courier. but the editorial made him angry and he called at the newspaper office and ordered his paper stopped. Now, this man's wife is an enthusiastic admirer of the Wayne county candidate, and when she heard of her husband's action she straightway went to the Courier office and ordered the paper upon both of them as able young men, and worthy of the support of the Republicans of Indiana for any position they may seek, and no one regrets more than I the present contest between the gentlemen. started again. The battle was then fought out by husband and wife. The men who lounge around the office of the Bundy House, which is headquarters

for the two candidates, are fond of recounting a story in which a Johnson man got his "evens." In all Henry county there is no stancher Republican than this man, but | Knightstown was entirely on his own responhe is so strongly allied to the interests of sibility, and Mr. Gowdy was in no way re-

Congressman Johnson that he allowed his prejudice to get the better of his judgment. For years he has bought his family groceries of one of the leading merchants here. One day last week he heard that his grocer was for "Jim" Watson and he went directly to the store to satisfy himself as to the truth of the report. It happened that this grocer was a Watson man to the core and he did not hesitate to proclaim it. The result was that his customer, the Johnson man, flew off in high dudgeon and immediately inaugurated a private boycott against the offensive grocer. He buys his goods of a Johnson merchant and scarcely speaks to the other when he meets him at lodge. The battle is by no means confined to the two candidates. As yet there have been no fisticuffs between the factions, but several days yet remain before the final struggle.

THE TWO CANDIDATES.

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Whichever Congressman wins in the coming contest, the fact remains that both will be better advertised probably in the "old burnt district" than ever before. Although Congressman Johnson is now serving his third term, and all in all has been a figure in Indiana politics for twenty years, since his first election as prosecutor in Wayne county, his record and personal characteristics have never had such a thorough discussion as during this primary campaign for renomination. Johnson is one of the unique political characters of the district. He is a brainy man, brilliant in speech and capable as a politician. His greatest fault, admitted by his friends, is his quick temper. Mr. Johnson is particularly touchy on this point and denies that he is prone to be hasty 'n judgment or action. His warlike interview from Washington last week doubtless did much toward exaggerating his doubtless did much toward exaggerating his reputation for impetuousity and led many people to fear the consequences of a meeting between him and Watson. In his speechmaking Congressman Johnson has a wonderful command of the English language, never being troubled for an apt word or phrase, and when worked up to his subject it is said he is worse than the famed Foraker, speaking nearly three hundred words to the minute, a speed far too great for any shorthand man to follow him verbatim.

Holman, turning a Democratic majority of 3,100 into a Republican plurality of nearly five hundred and retiring the oldest Democratic member of Congress after thirty years of representation from a district never known to go Republican but once, never known to go Republican but once, when Will Cumback defeated Holman. Wat-son represents the young element in Repub-lican politics in Indiana. He has been aclican politics in Indiana. He has been active in Epworth League work and was the youngest grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias ever chosen in this State. His speeches are noted more for their eloquence and patriotism than for logic. His ambition is monumental and it was because of Mr. Johnson's prestige in the old Sixth district that Mr. Watson moved from his native place at Winchester, in the adjoining county to Johnson's home, and took up his residence at Rushville, three years ago in the Fourth district. When the congressional reapportionment was made by the reapportionment was made by the last Legislature Watson and Johnwere thrown together in

son were thrown together in the same district, thus forcing the younger man to become the political opponent of Representative Johnson. It was an open secret among those who had a finger in the congressional reapportionment that Johnson and Watson were to be thrown together, and it was even said by some enemies of Johnson that this move was taken for the purpose of freezing out Johnson, enthusiastic people believing that Watson would prove strong enough to defeat him. If there was any such real intention Mr. Johnson's strength was not correctly estimated. He had no desire to be retired, and the canvass, as it now stands, would indicate that vass, as it now stands, would indicate that he is fully as strong as Mr. Watson. The he is fully as strong as Mr. Watson. The figures of the counties which have already selected delegates to the congressional convention give Mr. Watson ninety-five delegates and Mr. Johnson eighty-seven. Johnson has the counties of Wayne, Fayette and Union, while Watson has Franklin, Hancock, Shelby and Rush. Henry county, which was in Mr. Johnson's old district, has thirty-one delegates, and its vote will settle the contest. Hence it is that Henry has become the battle ground of the district. Watson is strong in New Castle, while Johnson's strength is largely in the country towns and townships.

ONE OF JOHNSON'S MEN. One of Mr. Johnson's most enthusiastic followers in Henry county is Benjamin Coons, a wealthy and prominent agriculturist, living near Mooreland, ten miles east of this place. No man is better known in Henry county that Benjamin Coons, It is said his greatest delight is when he can get a crowd about him and in the midst of a heated argument sound the declaration: "Every Populist and sorehead in Henry county is for Jim Watson."

Mr. Coons has reached the age of sixty years, but he eastly bears the burden. He is one of the quaint characters of the county, and this fact gives the "boys" license to have fun with him. The old man really prides himself on being the "laziest man in the county," and takes pleasure in telling how he won this reputation. A good many years ago he started to town one day, and on the road met an angular specimen of the Yankee tourist. The traveler was seeking for work and he "held up"

Coons in the road.
"Well," said the old man, after a parley,
"come down to my place next Monday and
I'il try you."
"But how will I find your farm," yelled the tramp as the farmer drove off.
"Oh, just inquire for the laziest man in
the county," called back Coons whipping up

The next Monday morning bright and early the tourist presented himself at the was ready for work. The old man came straight to town and told the joke on himself, and that is the way he got his reputa-tion. Some of his friends, however, contend that this reputation is not deserved. But Benjamin Coons is a loyal Republican, an honest citizen and the latch-string of his door always hangs on the outside. And then there are others.

Next Wednesday will be a memorable day

in the history of New Castle and Henry county. The voters of this town find them-selves looking forward to the date with that eager excitement which takes pos-session of the small boy just before circus day. There is in New Castle the oldest inhabitant who remembers the coldest in-habitant who remembers the coldest day that ever blew, and the man who has solved the ground-hog problem, but there isn't a man in the county that ever had to do with a more perplexing political race than this Johnson-Watson affair. No man can forecast the result.

CHAIRMAN GOWDY.

ing Part in the Fight.

To the Editor of the Indianapolis Journal: I read in the columns of your paper this morning a report from New Castle, with enlarged headlines, which charges me with takcommittee. It is claimed by your correspondent that a gentleman by the name of Compton has been canvassing Henry county in the Compton, under his own signature, to that effect. I do not hesitate to say that for nected with the State committee, that I tee that had been appointed to present him would unhes!tatingly use my influence in the interest of Mr. Watson. He is a personal presented him with a cast of their massive friend, my neighbor, and a resident of Rush silver token on Nov. 8 last, in the Garden would unhesitatingly use my influence in the interest of Mr. Watson. He is a personal friend, my neighbor, and a resident of Rush county. In politics I have always been loyal of my official connection with this commitof my official connection with this commit-tee I have refrained in every instance from either dictating or attempting to dictate nominations to any office. No man can nominations to any office. No man can truthfully say that I have ever taken a hand in the nomination to any office, and the same is true as to Henry county. If Mr. Johnson would bridle some of his overzealous friends he would be doing his cause more good than to permit them to be attacking persons outside of his county. I was very anxious during the Legislature, last winter, to have the State so districted for congressional nurrouses as to prevent a contest be-

Mr. W. C. Compton, of Indianapolis, also are to have the star parts. The play will writes the Journal saying that his visit to follow closely the dramatic incidents of the Knightstown was anticoly on his own response

JOHN K. GOWDY.

sponsible for it. Mr. Compton also denies the statement that he said to Mr. Deem, or to any other person, that he had a letter of introduction from Mr. Gowdy and was seeking to persuade doubtful voters to support Mr. Watson.

SCOTT COUNTY BRAWLERS.

Democrats Took Scottsburg and Carried on in Kentucky Fashion. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

SCOTTSBURG, Ind., March 28.-The

Democratic primaries were held to-day with twenty-one candidates for the various county offices. Last night most of them were in this city. As a consequence the saloons were crowded, and the good old Democratic platform flowed like water. About 12 o'clock last night a gang of fifteen or twenty, most of whom were so drunk they could not get home, took possession of the town, and for a time things were hot. A freefor-all fight started. Bricks, stones, clubs, brass "knucks" and revolvers were used with much freedom. Edgar Aldridge received two scalp cuts, each several inches long. There were numerous black eyes, battered faces, cuts and bruises. Four or five shots were fired, but none of them took effect. Many families in the neighborhood were awakened, but were glad enough to be safely housed. Not an officer was to be found, nor none sent for, during the fight, and no arrests were made until this mornthis city. As a consequence the saloons and no arrests were made until this morning. The people are indignant that such a disgraceful affair should be allowed to occur in a town of this size. It is likely the grand jury, which meets Monday, will investigate. The result of to-day's vote will not be known upntil to-morrow.

Indorsed Matthews.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARION, Ind., March 28.-The Democracy of this county met in mass convention in this city to-day, to name a county ticket. guage, never being troubled for an apt word or phrase, and when worked up to his subject it is said he is worse than the famed Foraker, speaking nearly three hundred words to the minute, a speed far too great for any shorthand man to follow him verbatim.

Congressman Watson is almost directly opposite in disposition. Although a young man he has already distinguished himself as an Indiana campaigner and a great percent. of his following is due to the record he made two years ago in the Fourth district, when he defeated Hon. William S. Holman, turning a Democratic majority of It was the tamest convention ever held in

Hendricks County Nominations. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

DANVILLE, Ind., March 28.-The Re publican primary election was held Friday and to-day the vote was canvassed in this city. The ticket elected was: J. M. Barlow, Representative; Oliver M. Piersol, treasurer; William B. Bryant, sheriff; John W. Trotter, surveyor; James D. Pratt, assessor; William Lewis and Aaron T. Dooley, commissioners; Otis E. Gulley, prosecuting attorney. Enoch G. Hogate was indorsed as this county's candidate for joint Senator. The Republicans of this county promise 1,600 majority this fall.

Jefferson County Nominees.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MADISON, Ind., March 28.-Jefferson cou ty Republicans this evening nominated Perry E. Bear for judge of the Fifth judicial dis trict, Clarence J. Roberts for district prose-cutor, John W. Linck for Representative, Samuel Wallace for sheriff, George T. May-field for treasurer, John W. Tevis for clerk and George C. Lewis for coroner. The convention was large and very enthusiastic Mr. Linck had four competitors in the con test for Representative.

Lebanon Republican Club. special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LEBANON, Ind., March 28 .- The young Republicans of Lebanon held a mass meeting here to-night and organized a young men's Republican club. Carl M. Bonnell was chosen chairman, Oliver H. Wood secretary and Harry Dye treasurer. The membership numbers two hundred, and a special train will carry it to Crawfordsville, April 7, to cheer for Captain Harrison for Congress.

Call for Joint Convention. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. GREENCASTLE, Ind., March 28-The hairmen of the Republican central committees of Putnam, Clay and Montgomery countles to-day issued a call for a conven-

April 23, at 2:39 p. m., for the selection of a candidate for joint Representative in the district comprised by the three counties.

WANT PAY IN CASH. Shipwrights and Laborers Refuse to

Accept Checks and Quit Work. BAY CITY, Mich., March 28.-The nouncement that the ship building firm of F. W. Wheeler & Co. intended to adopt the check system of paying their employes has also induced many of the laborers and some of the machine men to quit. A meeting of the union men was held and they voted not to accept checks. About the same time the company directed the men remaining in the yard to stop work and notices were posted that there would be no work until further notice. The men had several secret meetings during the day and resolved not to return until the company agreed to pay in cash. The firm declined a conference and a majority of the men. conference and a majority of the men accepted checks for their pay. Some received cash and two hundred others decided they would accept nothing but cash. The chants made arrangements to cash hecks and some of the men thereupon alleged that the merchants were in league with the bosses and a boycott was declare against them. The firm gave as their rea son for adopting the system the inconver-ience and danger of transporting \$20,0

every pay day. WORRIED BY KIDNAPERS.

Attempts Made to Steal the Granddaughter of the Modjeskas. CHICAGO, March 28 .- Within the last two weeks two attempts have been made to kidnap the four-year-old granddaughter of Mme. Modjeska, the actress, in this city. The first attempt was made while a nurse girl had the child out for a walk. A man seized the child and started to run. The followed him several blocks, screaming nurse followed him several blocks, screaming for help, before she succeeded in recovering her charge. That night Ralph Modjeska, the father, received an anonymous letter, warning him to leave the city under penalty of losing his child if he refused. The second attempt to steal the child was made a few days ago. Since then Modjeska has received numerous threatening letters, and has been taking active steps to ascertain their source. He says he cannot account for the attempts to steal his child and drive him out of the

Last Monday night the conspiracy took a new and alarming turn when an unknown man called at the Modjeska flat and hurled the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid in the face of Jessie, a nursemaid to the child. The girl was terribly burned and will be disfigured for life. The police were at once notified, but have been unable to locate the thrower. thrower. Detectives have been stationed around Modjeska's house ever since to watch for the kidnaper should he return.

Jefferson Gets His Loving Cup. NEW YORK, March 28.-Joseph Jeffer son was greeted in his apartments at the Fifth-avenue Hotel to-day by the commit-Cheater. It took eight months to con days ago. Daniel Frohman, William H. Crane, John Drew, Frank Sanger and Mrs. Edward E. Kidder composed the presentation committee. They were the only ones present besides Mr. Jefferson. Mrs. Kidder made the presentation

Punch Bewl Presented to Thomas. NEW YORK, March 28.-Theodore Thomas, director of the Chicago Orchestra, was presented with a silver punch bowl at the Metropolitan Opera House to-night. The presentation was made by Garrett Smith, and the gift was from the members of the Manuscript Society and the admirers of the leader.

Play Founded on 'Frisco's Scandal. SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.-A loca paper says that a play is now being written ich Mattle Overman and Mrs. Tun

COLORED VOTERS NOT PERMITTED TO REGISTER IN LOUISIANA.

Overawed by Armed White "Regulators," Who Flogged Several Negroes and Killed One.

M'KINLEYITES TURNED DOWN

OKLAHOMA'S REPUBLICAN DELEGA-TION FAVORABLE TO REED.

Resolutions Indorsing the Ohio Man Voted Down-An Ex-Confederate Boomed for the Presidency.

NEW ORLEANS, March 28.-Special dispatches report that three hundred armed men held possession of the town of Palmet-to, St. Landry parish, yesterday. Their presence was to prevent the negroes from registering. Registrar Swords advertised that he would open the registration office there yesterday. He kept it open all day, but not one negro registered. They were thoroughly overawed by the presence of the armed men. The regulators, after leaving Palmetto yesterday evening, flogged several negroes unmercifully because they had registered and declared their purpose to vote. The mob then visited the house of Reuben Stelly, colored, and called to him to come out, saying they desired to have a talk with him. The negro, being frightened, fired on the mob, killing Alcee Boutte, of Grand Coteau, aged neteen. The mob then fired into the house killing Selly and another negro. The sheriff of St. Landry parish was notified to-day that Atanas Fontenal, a white man, was killed last night in the western portion of the

ICTORY FOR REED.

'avorable to the Maine Man cted in Oklahoma. MA CITY, O. T., March 28 .- The an Territorial convention which met to-day to elect delegates to the St. Louis convention brought on a bitter struggle between the Reed men and McKinley factions. To-night the Reed men are claiming the victory. However, Speaker Reed was not indorsed for the presidency in the platform adopted and the Reed victory is shown in the voting down of resolutions indorsing McKinley, the defeat of the six McKinley candidates for delegates to St.

Louis and the election of a delegation said to be favorable to the man from Maine. The platform adopted congratulates the Republican party on "the commendable array of presidential timber," and declares it to be the sense of the convention that the delegates elected shall lay aside all personal preferences and use their influence in the national convention "for the commercial advancement of Oklahoma, through the nomination of a man for President who will give Oklahoma interests the consideration

silver and paper with which to measure our exchange, that shall be as sound as the government and as untarnished as its honor, and to that end we favor bimetallism and demand the use of both gold and silver as standard money, under such restrictions, to be determined by legislation, as will secure the maintenance of the parities of the values of the two metals; also that the purchasing and debt-paying power of the dollar, whether of sliver, gold or paper, shall be at all times equal, and we believe the best way to continue the parity of our dollars and at the same time enlarge the circulatand at the same time enlarge the circulating medium commensurate with the growth of the population is the unlimited use of the domestic silver product in our monetary system and the prohibition of foreign silver, modified by financial reciprocity."

Other resolutions adopted affirm allegiance to the principles of the Republican party: condemn the present Democratic administration; indorse "with renewed vigor those beneficent principles of the Republican party—protection, reciprocity and bimetallism, the trio of virtues which insure commercial vigor in the United States without regard to the wishes of any other nation;" declare in favor of the principles of territorial home rule; indorse the record of Delegata Flynn in Congress; thank the lower house of Congress for its action in passing the free homes bill, and express hope that the Senate will also pass this measure.

The delegates to the St. Louis convention are: A. O. Mitcher, of Oklahoma; Charles S. Day, of Day; J. C. Roberts, of Kingfisher; Henry E. Asp, of Guthrie; J. A. Buckies, of Garfield; John T. Dille, of E. Reno.

BOOM FOR AN EX-CONFEDERATE.

ner Nominated for President. WASHINGTON, March 28 .- The first voice raised in favor of nominating an ex-Confederate as the Democratic candidate for President in the coming campaign is that of Senator Palmer, of Illinois. His idea is not to nominate the ex-Confederate because he an ex-Confederate, but because his manifes virtues are such that this incident in his his-

tory ought not to count against him with any

Northern man who favors a sound financia and economic policy. "As a citizen of Illinois," says the Senator, "I favor Colonel Morrison, of course, and shall do all in my power to aid him in the convention. But that does not lessen in any degree my belief in the conspicuous fitness of Representative Turner, of Georgia, to fill the first place on the ticket and in the national government. I regard Judge Turner as one of the ablest men in American public life. His speech on the money question, delivered in the House the other day, was the best in all respects delivered in this Congress, and the most critical adherent of sound money could find no weak place in its logic. His physical and mental powers are at their best, his character is absolutely stainless. He is a practical man as well as a profund thinker, and in spite of the greater a profund thinker, and in spite of the greater political eminence which others have achieved through competition for certain elective honors, he is recognized on all sides as the natural leader in the House of that wing of the Democratic party to which the administration belongs. He is as sound on questions affecting the foreign policy of the government as on currency and tariff questions.

ing Judge Turner will be met in some que ters with the fling that he once four against the government. But how me against the government. But how much weight ought to be given to such an argument under the circumstances? Judge Tur-ner was twenty-two years old-a mere youth when the civil war broke out. His home was in the heart of the South, and he went, as substantially all the other educated and highsubstantially all the other educated and high-spirited young men there did, with his State. That ought not to count against him in the least, for no man has shown in his riper years a more independent mind or more un-selfish patriotism. Apart from all personal considerations, however, the nomination of a Southern man would have an excellent moral effect in the South. The young men moral effect in the South. The young men growing up there feel that they are in a certain sense sectionally ostracized—that there are heights on the governmental ladder to which they must not hope to climb, not because of any fault in themselves, but because the region in which their homes lie cut itself off from further aspirations by its experiment in secession thirty-five years ago. This is an unfortunate idea to encourage. The way to make the Union a real thing and not a mere name, is to have every part

"POLITICS AS A DUTY."

Postmaster-General Wilson Talks te Wesleyan College Students. MIDDLETOWN, Conn., March 28. - Postmaster-general Wilson lectured in Memorial Chapel, at Wesleyan College, to-night, on "Politics As a Duty" before a large audi-